230 THE DEPOSITION OF WILLIAM FOWLER. [2]

And the "Northern Kersey?s [of the same length], for aij ducats [=^234 Rials] which is after 13 Rials the , 'Vare.

A piece of Cotton" of 61 Vares [about 57 yards] of length, is worth and is commonly sold at la Vera Cruz for 30 j- ducats which is after 5] Rials [=2s. gi.] the Vare [or nearly 35. a"

A Quintall [100 lbs J of Wax is wortH commonly at Vera Cruz, 40 ducats [~£ii=about £88

A Butt [130 gallons] of Seek [Sack, i.e., our modern Sherry] is worth commonly at la Vera Cruz, 100 pesos [£33 6s. 8d*£266 now}*

DEPOSITION i3 Ag TO FIQHT, ETC, . The Deposition ofWILLIAM CLARKEO

WAS entertained by Sir WILLIAM GARRARD and others of the Company to sail in the said fleet as a Merchant [Supercargo], to assist the said JOHN HAWKINS in state of traffic, and making accounts of the same voyage: and , sailed in the $W^{\ }$ lham and John.

All the treasure was, immediately after the traffic, brought on board the Jesus of Lubeck, and left there, by the consent and knowledge o»f this Deponent, in the custody of the said JOHN HAWKINS, to the use of the said Company*
The £200 of plate was put in a chest; and the 22,000 Pesos of Gold into kittle chests and

This Exarpinate was present at all the traffics truck merchandize; and was 'commonly aboard the while she remained upon any coast where the traffic was: of four specially appointed, which made also the accounts, kept the same*

Being near Cape SL Antonio, the William and John, therein this Deponent then sailed, was separated from the other ships of the Fleet, in a great storm happening about